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In re Application of:

Nathalie GARNIER et al.

Application No.: 09/714,663

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For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS
FOR THE PERMANENT
DEFORMATION OF KERATIN
FIBERS CONTAINING AT LEAST
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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Further to the Amendment After Final timely filed on August 19, 2003, Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of May 20, 2003. A fee of \$950.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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